DON-USFWS Guam Military Relocation Section 7 ESA Consultation Meeting

Location: At FWS Office, Honolulu, HI, 22-23 June 2017

Attendees:		
DON (b) (6)		by phone,
as needed;		
USFWS	(b) (6)	

(Counsel) by phone, as needed

Thursday, 22 June:

0830-0900 Welcome

0900-1000 Incidental Take Statement – Discussion on revised ITS and the approach to take (counsel participation by phone – (b) (6)

1000-1100 Discussion of Impact Analysis

- Consideration of beneficial impacts of CMs discuss why some were considered for species and some were not (e.g. fencing at LFTRC and ungulate removal was not recognized as beneficial to butterfly)
- b. Consideration of additional information for some species to further support conclusions

1100-1115 Break

1115-1200 Mariana fruit bat - full treatment in the amendment vs. only new information

1200-1315 Lunch

1315- 1445 Conservation Measures – Objective: To ensure consistency with 2015 BO and eliminate any confusion for implementation of both the 2015 BO and the 2017 amendment

- a. Re-stating CM's from 2015 and eliminating any inconsistencies from 2015
- b. Refinement of CM's for 2017
- c. Purpose of CM's connection between the CM's and benefits to the species.

1445-1500 Break

1500-1630 Biological Opinion (BO) Comments

- a. Reasonable and prudent measures
- b. Terms and Conditions refinement to only address animal species and address any concerns with feasibility as currently written
 - 1. Including T&C's from 2015

- 2. T&C #1 Revise as per discussion from August 2016 and January 2017 meetings
 - 3. T&C #4 from 2015 BO 2017 BO should include resolution
- 4. T&C's for plants Remove T&Cs for plants as they are not included in the ITS
- 5. Reporting Discuss feasibility of reporting requirements as included in the draft BO

1630-1700 Discuss future coordination/conference calls prior to final BO

Friday, 23 June:

0830-1130 Follow-up discussion on items from previous day Parking lot issues